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Title : METHOD OF PREPARING GROUP III-V COMPOUND

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PETITION TO ACCEPT SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION IN REISSUE APPLICATION

Applicant requests that the enclosed substitute specification be accepted in the reissue application identified above.

As filed on April 3, 2001, the reissue specification included a copy of the issued patent identified above, new claims indicated by underlining, and a copy of the Certificate of Correction for the issued patent. During discussions with personnel in the U.S. PTO's Patent Legal Administration, applicant's attorney proposed that the applicant file a substitute specification to incorporate the many changes to the issued patent listed in the Certificate of Correction. It was agreed that was a good procedure.

Accordingly, enclosed are (1) a marked-up copy of the substitute specification and (2) a clean copy of the substitute specification, both of which incorporate the changes listed in the Certificate of Correction.

In the marked-up copy of the substitute specification, (i) additions based on the Certificate of Correction are indicated by bold, italicized text and (ii) deletions based on the

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Certificate of Correction are indicated by brackets. Underlined text (i.e., claims 23-39) indicates the text that was added to the reissue application as filed on April 3, 2001 with respect to the issued patent.

No new matter has been added to the substitute specification.

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